

ment for September 8, 1934, at midnight.

Respectfully submitted,  
**LOUISE SNOW PHINNEY,**  
 Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

**Message From the Governor.**

The Chair recognized the Door-keeper, who introduced a messenger from the Governor with the following message:

Executive Department,  
 Austin, Texas, Sept. 4, 1934.  
 To the Forty-third Legislature in Third Called Session:

By request of Honorable W. E. Pope I submit for your consideration the attached bill being an Act for the purpose of releasing the interest and penalties on all delinquent ad valorem and poll taxes that were delinquent on or before August 1, 1934, due the State, any county, common school district, road district, levee improvement district, water improvement district and water control and improvement district, irrigation district and other defined subdivision of the State, etc., and declaring an emergency.

Respectfully submitted,  
**MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,**  
 Governor of Texas.

**Adjournment.**

Senator Woodruff made a motion that the Senate adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The motion prevailed.

**APPENDIX.**

**Committee Reports.**

Committee Room,  
 Austin, Texas, Sept. 4, 1934.  
 Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 8, Endorsing and approving the candidacy of Honorable Sam Rayburn for Speaker of the National House of Representatives, and inviting him to address a joint session of the Legislature of Texas at any time he may find it convenient during this Called Session.

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recom-

mendation that it do pass and be not printed.

**HOPKINS, Chairman.**

**Committee on Enrolled Bills.**

Committee Room,  
 Austin, Texas, Sept. 4, 1934.  
 Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 7 carefully examined and compared and find same correctly enrolled.

**GREER, Chairman.**

**NINTH DAY.**

Senate Chamber,  
 Austin, Texas,  
 September 5, 1934.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt.

The roll disclosed a quorum. The following Senators being present:

Beck.	Pace.
Blackert.	Parr.
Collie.	Patton.
Cousins.	Poage.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Duggan.	Rawlings.
Greer.	Redditt.
Holbrook.	Regan.
Hopkins.	Sanderford.
Hornsby.	Small.
Martin.	Stone.
Moore.	Woodruff.
Murphy.	Woodul.
Neal.	Woodward.
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**Absent—Excused.**

Fellbaum.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Beck.

**Senator Excused.**

Senator Fellbaum was excused on account of illness on motion of Senator Pace.

**Joint Session.**

The Chair, Senator Murphy, President Pro Tempore, announced the time had now arrived for the joint

session of the Senate and the House for the purpose of hearing Hon. Henry T. Hunt of Washington, D. C., General Counsel Public Works Administration and Chairman of the Public Works Administration Power Review Board.

#### Recess.

On motion of Senator Woodruff the Senate, at 10:10 o'clock a. m., recessed until 2.00 o'clock p. m.

#### After Recess.

The Senate met at 2:00 o'clock p. m., pursuant to recess and was called to order by Senator Murphy, President Pro Tempore.

#### Resolution Signed.

The Chair, Senator Murphy, President Pro Tempore, gave notice of signing and did sign, in the presence of the Senate, after its caption had been read, the following resolution: H. C. R. No. 8.

#### Adjournment.

Senator Hornsby made a motion that the Senate adjourn until 9:30 a. m. Thursday. The motion prevailed.

### TENTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas,  
September 6, 1934.

The Senate met at 9:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt.

The roll disclosed a quorum present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beck.	Pace.
Blackert.	Parr.
Collie.	Patton.
Cousins.	Poage.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Duggan.	Rawlings.
Greer.	Redditt.
Holbrook.	Regan.
Hopkins.	Sanderford.
Hornsby.	Small.
Martin.	Stone.
Moore.	Woodruff.
Murphy.	Woodul.
Neal.	Woodward.
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#### Absent—Excused.

Fellbaum.

#### Senator Excused.

Senator Fellbaum was excused indefinitely on account of illness.

#### Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Woodward.

#### Bills and Resolutions.

##### Senate Bill No. 4.

Senator Neal sent up the following bill:

By Senator Neal, et al:

S. B. No. 4, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing cities having more than sixteen thousand inhabitants as shown by the last Federal census, preceding such action, and containing a junior college within their corporate limits, to establish community centers consisting of all land and buildings or structures necessary therefor, including gymnasiums, auditoriums, natatoriums and dormitories to furnish residence to teachers and students attending schools and college in any such city; authorizing such cities to issue bonds or notes to purchase, construct or improve the properties and facilities comprising such community centers and to mortgage and encumber all such properties and facilities, the income therefrom, and everything pertaining thereto, to secure payment of such bonds or notes; providing that the gymnasium, auditorium, natatorium and dormitory may be included in one or more buildings or structures, within the discretion of the governing body of such city; authorizing such cities to borrow money on the security of the properties and facilities comprising such community centers, and the income therefrom, and everything pertaining thereto, acquired or to be acquired, for the purpose of paying the purchase price and/or construction cost, and to issue bonds or notes to evidence the money so borrowed, which bonds or notes shall have the characteristics of negotiable instruments under the law merchant, maturing not to exceed thirty (30)